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PROPERTY MANAGER FOR YORKTOWN SENIOR HOUSING PLEADS GUILTY

- Embezzled over \$63,000

LOUISVILLE, Ky. - Brian Smallwood, of Louisville, Kentucky, pled guilty to embezzling money from Yorktown Senior Housing I & II in Louisville, U.S. Attorney David L. Huber of the Western District of Kentucky announced today.

Smallwood admitted that between April 1, 2005, and March 31, 2006, he embezzled over \$5,000 from Yorktown Senior Housing I & II. Smallwood was the management agent/property manager for Yorktown Senior Housing I & II in Louisville. The housing was subsidized by the Department for Housing and Urban Development. According to an audit, Smallwood embezzled or converted to his own use \$63,314 from the housing organization.

The maximum potential penalties are 10 years imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine, and supervised release for a period of 3 years.

The case is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney James H. Barr and it was investigated by the Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Inspector General.

The plea was entered before Chief Judge John G. Heyburn II, United States District Court, Louisville.

Smallwood is scheduled to be sentenced before Judge Heyburn on October 25, 2007, at 11:30 a.m., in Louisville.

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